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Application of: Weber

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Examiner: Vy Q. Bui

For: MEDICAL DEVICE HAVING A  
COATED PORTION

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)

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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated November 17, 2004 be extended for a period of one month from February 17, 2005, to and including, March 17, 2005.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$120.00. Please charge the required fee to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 50-3013. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: March 17, 2005



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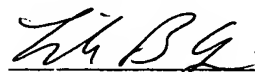
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